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A bill entitled, An act to open and make public a road from Cole's Warehouse to St. Aloysius Chapel, in St. Marry's county,

Which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs.

Wooton, Claude and Forrest.

A bill entitled, An additional supplement to the act entitled, An act relating to free negroes and slaves, passed at December session, 1831, chapter 323,

Which was read the first time, and referred to the com-

mittee on coloured population.

Mr. Groome, from the committee to which was referred the bill entitled, A supplement to the act entitled, an act to authorise the trustees of the poor of Dorchester county to purchase a farm for the use of the poor, and to sell the almshouse of said county, and for other purposes, passed March the 9th, 1832, reported:

That the committee had had said bill under consideration, and were of opinion it ought to pass, with the follow-

ing amendment, which was read and assented to:

At the end of the bill, add,

"Sec. 2 And be it enacted, That the present trustees of the poor for Dorchester county shall be, and they are hereby authorised to contract for and negotiate a loan, upon the credit of said county, for any sum of money not exceeding fitteen hundred dollars, for the use and benefit of the new

poor's institution in said county.

Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That to secure the punctual payment of said loan, as the same shall become due, the trustees aforesaid shall be, and they are hereby authorised and required, to set apart the amount now due, for the sale of the old poor house farm, and the surplus production of the new farm, as a fund to be used for the purpose of paying said loan, and no other."

The bill was then read the second, and by special order the third time, passed, and returned to the House of Dele-

gates.

Mr. Morris, from the committee on finance, to which was referred the resolution in favour of James Raymond reported favorably thereon.

It was read the second, and by special order the third time, assented to, and returned to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Pigman from the committee to which the leave was granted, reported a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act, for the re-valuation and re-assessment of all the real and personal property in Allegany county,